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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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For:

BOARD FOR GLIDING

1. Type of Application

This is a request for filing a Divisional Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b), of pending prior application:

Serial No.:

09/686,051,

Prior Art Unit:

3618

Filed:

October 11, 2000

Prior Examiner:

Christopher Bottorff

Title:

BOARD FOR GLIDING

Inventors:

Eric Restani.

2. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular) are:

- Page(s) of Specification
- Page(s) of Claims
- Page(s) of Abstract
- Sheets of Drawings (Figs. 1-9)

B. Other Papers Enclosed

- [X] Amendment to claims
 - [**X**] Cancel in this application claims <u>1-16</u> before calculating the filing fee.
 - [X] Add the claims shown on the attached amendment. (Claims added have been numbered consecutively following the highest numbered original claims.)
- [X] A Preliminary Amendment
- A copy of the Declaration and Power of Attorney from the prior application [X]
- Information Disclosure Statement [X]
- [X] Form PTO-1449

3. [X] Amend the specification by inserting after the title and before the first line the sentence:

-- Cross Reference to Related Application

This is a divisional application of U.S. Serial No. 09/686,051, filed October 11, 2000, the entirety of which is incorporated herein by reference.--

4. Relate Back

A. 35 U.S.C. 119(e)

[] Priority of provisional application Serial No. filed, is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).

B. 35 U.S.C. 120, 121 and 365(c)

[x] Priority of said prior application <u>09/686,051</u> is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §120.

C. 35 U.S.C. 119 Priority Claim for Prior Application

- Priority of foreign application(s) No. <u>99 13052</u>, filed in <u>France</u> is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
 - A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application was filed in prior application Serial No. 09/686,051 on October 11, 2000.
 - [] A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is filed herewith.

5. Declaration or Oath (including Power of Attorney)

The power of attorney in the prior application is to Thomas J. Wall, Reg. No. 24,280:

- [] The power appears in the New Power of Attorney form filed herewith.
- [X] A copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- [] Power filed in the previous case no new power is necessary.
- [X] Address all future communications to:

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6. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application are:

[X]	the same.
[]	not the same. An explanation, including the ownership of the various claims at the
	time the last claimed invention was made,
	[] is submitted.
	[] will be submitted.

7. Assignment

The prior application is assigned of record to Skis Rossignol, S.A. at Reel 011223, Frame(s) 0760.

8. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

A.	Filing Fee [X] Original Patent Application (37 C.F.R. 1.16(a)\$750.00; Small Entity\$375.00)	\$750.00
B.	Fees for Claims (11 Claims; 1 Indep.) [] each independent claim in excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)\$84.00; small entity\$42.00)	\$ 00
	[] each claim in excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c)\$18.00; small entity\$9.00)	\$8
	[] multiple dependent claim(s) (37 C.F.R. 1.16(d)\$280.00: small entity\$140.00)	\$\$
C.	[] Assignment Fee	\$8
	Total Fees Due	\$ 750.00

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9. Payment of Fees and Authorization to Charge Additional Fees or Credit Overpayment

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- Charge Deposit Account 50-0289 in the amount of.
- [x] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0289.
 - [X] Any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.
 - [] Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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